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51 DEAD IN SOUTHERN TORNADOES

Today

Nothing for Sale
Be Thankful
That Oil War Threat
"Ike" Stevens in C. S.

BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

A [illegible] writes: "I see by your article that you will give a five-acre tract of land in Southern California, free, and I will pay for water improvements." This man offered no land in California, anywhere, free or otherwise, does not own any particular land anywhere, authorizes nobody to use his name in the sale of real estate. He does, however, advise intelligent people to buy real estate if they know what they are buying and why they are buying it. Every section of the country offers opportunity for the wise. But swindlers are busy, misrepresentation is frequent.

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ALWAYS be thankful. If young, be thankful for years ahead, to do your work while and repair mistakes. If old, be glad that long rest is near, and the worst, most foolish, part of life is past.

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Think that you have lived in the most wonderful period of history. Everything within twenty-five years in the way of human knowledge and scientific achievement not equaled in any 1,000 years preceding.

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Be thankful for scientific assurance that this earth will last at least many millions of years longer.

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Perhaps we all come back, and each of a million lives ahead and live earth's problems settled, noble men replacing base competition.

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MR. HALL'S lawyers declare that the defendant explaining the document which he is made defendant in any case was a threat of war against the United States, that oil reserves were leased, the lease, they say, under an agreement to ship to the Pacific coast to meet a war from Japan. Too bad the government couldn't store oil for ?

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The defendants in the government suit will subpena Mr. Denby, Secretary of the Navy, to prove that attack by Japan was expected years ago.

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That may be truth, there may be something in the story. It may be a trick cooked up at the time to help the reserve scheme.

Consider the facts, wouldn't it be a good thing for this country to build fifty battleships, enough to sink in six hours the biggest fleet in the world, European, keep the air fleet up and supplied with what it needs on the east and west coasts?

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"WILLIE" STEVENS, accused in the Hall-Mills murder case, is respectfully referred to as Mr. Stevens.

He is looked upon as a man of the late William Stevens on the strength of his one able lawyer with the tongue and quickness of his replies those who have known him for

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FRIENDS say that shortly after the death Mr. Stevens "took up" Christian Science with very deep interest. Perhaps Christian Science has something to do with his self-control at times. Christian Science teaches that YOU CAN DO A THING if you want to.

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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR. went to Brown University—whence his father graduated in 1897—458 letters written by Abraham Lincoln, a majority entirely in his own writing. It was probably a reminder for Mr. Rockefeller to give those letters than the millions he distributes at intervals.

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One letter Lincoln describes General Grant as "a very copious worker of his kind, but a very meager writer or thinker."

That is a good description of a real soldier. Grant, like Cromwell, would fight like a demon and write 10 words or write nothing. The world has plenty of writers.

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QUEEN MARIE has gone, her visit to Princess. She will come back.

Nobody gave her, as a farewell present, a bullet-proof automobile. It is conceivable that anybody should want to injure the kind-hearted woman. She does well to all.

Her visit is a part of "royalty," which nobody, in these days is not afraid of."

OHIO WEATHER

Rain, changing to snow flurries, with cold wave tonight; Saturday partly cloudy and colder; snow flurries in east and extreme north portions; south, shifting to west and northwest gales, ending Saturday morning.

MARION OBSERVATIONS

Yesterday's high 49
Last night's low 45
Weather ..... Cloudy
Rainfall ..... .52

One Year Ago Today

High 41
Low 26

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Observations of the United States Weather Bureau, taken at 7 p. m. yesterday.

Akron	.34	Memphis	.70
Atlanta	.42	New Orleans	.68
Boston	.50	New York	.38
Cincinnati	.54	Raleigh	.54
Cleveland	.50	St. Louis	.64
Denver	.46	Soo	.36
Detroit	.64	Toledo	.50
Los Angeles	.60	Washington	.42

KARL DOMBAUGH DIES IN WRECK NEAR TROY, N. Y.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Dombaugh 440 E. Church-St, Victim

BRILLIANT STUDENT

Tragedy Occurs When Car Skids from Road; Fellow Student Critically Hurt

Karl Dombaugh, 20, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Dombaugh of 440 E. Church-st, was fatally injured about 7 o'clock yesterday morning when an automobile in which he was riding with three companions slid from the road near Troy, N. Y., and crashed into a pole. The Marion youth died two hours later in a hospital at Troy, his skull having been fractured when the force of the collision hurled him against the windshield of the car.

Arturo Herrera, son of a former president of Guatemala and driver of the automobile, was also injured and is reported to be in a critical condition at the Troy hospital. Robert Stackhouse of Springfield, O., and Frederick Bourke of Detroit, the other two occupants of the machine, escaped uninjured.

All Seniors

The four young men were all members of the Senior Class at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy and were returning from a fraternity dance held at Union College, Schenectady, Wednesday night, the accident occurring at Crescent, a small town near Troy.

The pole into which the car crashed was the only one standing beside the roadway in a distance of many miles, a report from the scene of the accident states.

First news of the accident came in a message to Mr. and Mrs. Dombaugh early yesterday morning stating that their son was in a critical condition. Mr. Dombaugh telephoned immediately to a college fraternity house at Troy and was informed that the young man had just died.

The parents left early last night for Troy and are expected to return tomorrow with the body. No funeral arrangements will be made until after their arrival but it is thought that services will take place at the home on E. Church-st, Monday.

Unusual Student

The tragic death of Karl Dombaugh brings to a close what promised to be a

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IBERIA WOMAN S HURT WHEN CAR HITS WAGON

Blinded by Auto Headlights, Driver Fails To See Farm Vehicle

Iberia, Nov. 26—Mrs. L. W. Bashford is in a serious condition at her home here today from shock and injuries received last night when the car in which she and her family were riding crashed into the rear end of a farm wagon, driven by Clarence Tuttle, on the Galion rd, three and one-half miles northeast of here.

Bashford, who was driving the car, and two children, James, 14, and Harold, 10, were uninjured. A year old infant suffered a painful bruise on the side of the head. The injury was not considered serious today. Tuttle, the wagon driver, received several bruises and painful minor injuries.

Mrs. Bashford was knocked unconscious in the smashup and did not fully regain her senses until this morning. First aid was given by a party of motorists closely following the Bashford car. The injured woman was removed to the Harry Erickson residence nearby where she was attended by a physician. She was brought to her home this morning.

The Bashford family had been enjoying a Thanksgiving holiday at the home of a relative, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Mason, at Galion. They were returning home in the rain. Three of the children had remained at Galion for the week end. It was shortly after dusk and Bashford was blinded by the lights of an approaching automobile. He stated that he did not see the wagon in time to avoid the crash.

MAN PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED IN ACCIDENT

New Lexington, Nov. 26 — John Rainock, 22, White Cottage, was believed to be suffering today from fatal injuries received when a New Lexington-Zanesville bus sideswiped another car on the New Lexington-Crooksville Road at a sharp curve late Thursday.

Roy Koontz, 38, New Lexington, was badly cut and bruised and four other persons slightly hurt.

DOZEN INJURED

Cincinnati, Nov. 26—Although about a dozen persons were more or less seriously injured in traffic accidents here yesterday, police reported today that they had been notified of no fatalities.

Marion Youth Killed in Auto Crash

Only Four Members of Marion's Famous Hook and Ladder Company Still Survive

BY HARRY S. ELLIOTT

FATHER TIME and his relentless aid, the Grim Reaper, are steadily depleting the ranks of Marion's famous old Hook and Ladder Company, one of the greatest organizations of athletics in the city's history. The death of Milton P. Naylor, which occurred several days ago at his home, 920 N. Prospect-st, leaves only four surviving members of the 22 who made up this team of brilliant performers who brought honor and distinction to their home town back in the 70's by defeating all competitors and winning the national championship among volunter fire departments.

The four still living are George Melley of Pearl-st, James P. Lutz, 442 N. Main-st, Patrick Kelly, 407 E. Church-st and Louis Cunningham of near Toledo.

Marion's champion Hook and Ladder Company was at the height of its glory for about five years during the early 70's, when it appeared in tournaments in Ohio and surrounding states and carried away first honors in every contest with one exception. The only defeat, and this was due to a questionable decision of the judges and was offset the following year with a notable victory by the local athletes, occurred in Bucyrus on Aug. 20, 1872. The finish was so close that there was much doubt regarding the outcome, but the judges gave first honors to Bucyrus.

Claiming that they had been the winners, the Marion firemen on

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HARDING SCOUT AREA COUNCIL IS TO GET CHARTER

National Representative To Make Presentation at Hotel Harding, Tuesday

A meeting of marked significance in Boy Scout Circles will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night at Hotel Harding, when Walter C. Sharrit, of Cleveland, representative of the National Council of Boy Scouts, will present the charter to the Harding Area Council. The meeting will be in charge of Frank E. Glesser, president of the council, and according to plans will be attended by representatives from Morrow, Crawford, Wyandot, Hardin and Marion Counties.

The council, which is sponsored by prominent business men of the various cities and villages interested in Boy Scout work, has been active in this vicinity for more than a year, and the presentation of the charter next Tuesday night will be an outstanding event in the progress of the organization.

W. C. Brown, Boy Scout Executive, has visited practically all cities and towns in the area where he has been received most cordially and the work of the organization heartily indorsed. Councils are active in both Marion and Hardin Counties and it is expected that councils in the remaining three counties of the area will be actively organized in the near future.

Court of Honor

John H. Clark, this city, will conduct the court of honor during which time a number of local boys will be presented their merit badges, and boys who earned their monograms at the Boy Scout Camp last summer also will receive their monograms. Kenneth Young, scout commissioner of Harding Council will receive his commission at this time and F. Mother, scout master under the Hardin Council will be presented his 10-year veterans' pin.

Following the court of honor Mr. Lint will present the charter and be heard in a talk in regard to the future activities in Harding Area. W. C. Brown, this city, will give a talk in which he will explain the manner in which the scout executive can serve the district councils.

SNOW AND STRONG WIND FORECAST FOR TONIGHT

Drop in Temperature Also Predicted for This Section of State

Snow flurries, driven by a strong wind that may reach gale proportions, and a drop in the temperature are forecast for this section of the state tonight.

Rain will start the unpleasant weather in store for Marion County, and this will change to snow before morning. A sweeping cold wave is coming along but the weatherman does not say when it will strike Marion. The high winds are to diminish Saturday morning, but it will be cloudy and cold Saturday.

The morning had a range of only four degrees yesterday, 49 degrees being high and 45 being low. A year ago today the weather was much colder, the mercury going down as low as 26 one night, and reaching a high of 41 degrees.

TWO DEAD AND TWO HURT IN ACCIDENT

Pennsylvania Passenger Train Crashes Automobile At Grade Crossing in Alliance

Alliance, Nov. 26—Thomas Hauser, 19, and John Hauser, 21, brothers, of Bowling Green, Ohio, are dead, and Mrs. Laura Hauser, 51, and F. E. Hauser, 55, their father and mother, are suffering from serious injuries today as the result of a holiday grade crossing crash at the Vine-st crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad here.

The family, enjoying a holiday outing in their motor car, were struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train.

Mrs. Mary Moore, 57, of Alliance, was killed when she was struck by an automobile here yesterday.

STORM WARNING TO OHIO VALLEY

Washington, Nov. 26—The storm now lowering over the middle west is moving northeastward, attended by rains which will be followed by snow flurries in the Ohio Valley and lower lake region, the Weather Bureau announced today.

Cold wave warnings were issued for Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, western Pennsylvania and western New York.

ROUMANIA ON VERGE OF CIVIL WAR, IS BELIEF

Telephone Connections with Bucharest Severed; Ferdinand's Death Even Hinted

Berlin, Nov. 26—There is strong belief in Belgrade that Roumania is on the verge of civil war, says a dispatch to the Vossische Zeitung today. The dispatch says that the fact that all telephone connections with Bucharest have been cut since three days ago, strengthens this belief.

It is generally assumed in Belgrade that the Roumanian government ordered communications severed in order to prepare itself for possible events ahead.

The silence from Bucharest, according to the dispatch is even taken to indicate that King Ferdinand, whose condition during the last week has variously been reported as critical, due to cancer of the intestines, may have already died, and that the Roumanian government is withholding the news because of its possible political effect.

It is also reported that the former Crown Prince Carol's supporters, especially the peasants' party which is in control of large parts of the army, are already gathering their forces for a desperate coup d'etat, aimed at placing Carol on the throne. Meantime, Premier M. Averescu, premier, and M. Bratiann, former premier, who are the principal opponents to Prince Carol's return to grace, are reported to be making precautionary preparations.

PITTSBURGH STEEL HEAD SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA

Pittsburgh, Nov. 26—William Lorimer Jones, 61, president of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Co., died early today at his residence here.

CHILD FATALLY HURT

Columbus, Nov. 26—Burial arrangements are to be made today for the body of 6-year old Joseph Johnston, Jr., who died from injuries received when he was hit by an automobile driven by R. C. Natzer, Obetz Junction. The accident occurred near Groveport Thursday when the lad ran in front of Natzer's car.

Oh, Ma! Oh, Sis!
Have you begun
A Christmas list?
Here's No. 1.

FOR PA

1—U. S. MINT.
2—GASOLINE
3—PEACE
4—COAL
5—NECKTIE

25 Shopping Days Before Christmas

CHICAGO GANG GUNS KILL ONE, WOUND ANOTHER

Heavy Limousine Slows Down and Sweeps Streeet with Bullets

Chicago, Nov. 26—Gangster machine guns spat again today, killing Joseph Di Salvo and probably fatally wounding James Debrisco.

Both were walking home when a heavy limousine slowed down, sweeping the street around them with a deadly hail.

When Di Salvo fell, mortally wounded, the car gathered speed and suddenly disappeared.

Di Salvo and Debrisco arrived from Italy only a few months ago. Debrisco could give no motive for the attack.

No witnesses could be found.

The home of Joseph Parrillo was raided.

The peace pact signed by Chicago gang leaders several months ago was short-lived, as Thomas and Charles O'Donnell, lying wounded in a hospital here, will testify today.

Line on O'Donnells

The two wounded men are brothers of Edward "Spike" O'Donnell, leader of a powerful south side beer running syndicate and themselves members and co-leaders of their brother's gang.

The brothers were fired upon from a closed auto as they stopped in front of a pool room on South Ashland av. One other man Clarence Barrett, an alleged beer runner also was wounded. He probably will die physicians declared. The O'Donnell brothers are expected to recover.

Although the wounded men are believed to have recognized their assailants, they observed the traditional ethics of gangland and refused to give any information to police. The latter were inclined to blame the Saltis-McErlane combine, rivals of the O'Donnell gang, for the shooting.

NEW BIDS TO BE TAKEN FOR HOLMES-PL PAVING

Contract Letting Called Off When Only One Qualified Bid Is Received

Because only one of the local contractors who bid on the construction of a paving on Holmes-pl, between Orchard and Gardenside, included surface material known as "Amiesite" in his proposal, the contract letting has been called off by the City Board of Control and new bids will be received.

Amiesite has never been used in street paving construction here but has been a success in numerous other cities, it is stated, and local officials wish to give it a trial here in case the price is satisfactory. It is likely that property owners on Holmes-pl will be given a voice in deciding the kind of material to be used.

Bids on the Holmes-pl job, opened on Nov. 19, were filed by the G. K. Kohberger Construction Co., Uncapher & Gillespie and P. Drake & Sons, all of Marion, and the H. P. Streicher Co. of Toledo. The proposals included brick, concrete and asphalt but Drake & Sons submitted the only proposal on amiesite.

The bids ranged from the Kohberger price of $7,596.90 on concrete to $10,-852.40 on brick. Drake's price on the amiesite paving was $9,441.40.

No date has been set for receiving the new bids.

TWO HUNDRED CARS OF "GAS" EXPLODE

Lives Lost When Blast on Roumanian Quay Rocks Entire Countryside

London, Nov. 26—A number of lives were lost and the surrounding countryside was rocked by the explosion today of 200 carloads of gasoline standing at a station on the quay at Ramadan, Roumania, on the Danube River.

The extent of property damage resulting had not been ascertained, but it was known to be large.

The cause of the explosion had not been determined.

PAN-HELLENIC HEAD AT WESLEYAN DANCES BUT DOESN'T SMOKE

Although Miss Eleanor Quass has bobbed hair and goes to dances, she doesn't think college girls ought to smoke. Miss Quass, a senior at Ohio Wesleyan university, is not only head of the Women's Pan-Hellenic council, but is president of the Gamma Phi Beat sorority and as such, has put her foot down on smoking by sorority girls. This is her latest photo.

JUDGE REFUSES TESTIMONY OF STEVENS COUSIN

Can Not Testify Because Records Show He Was Not at Murder Scene

Courthouse, Somerville, N. J., Nov. 26. Henry De La Bruyere Carpender's testimony is not admissable, Judge Charles W. Parker ruled at the re-summons of the Hall Mills murder trial today.

The testimony of Carpender, a Wall-st broker, had been halted late Wednesday upon objections by the state to the line of questions put to him by the defense.

Carpender had denied the statement of Mrs. Jane Gibson, the state's star witness, that he was at the scene of the murder on the night of Sept. 14, 1922. He is a fourth defendant in the murder charge, but is not now on trial. He is to be tried later.

"Mr. Carpender's testimony is excluded," said Judge Parker, "because no direct testimony was given at the trial that placed him at the scene of the crime. Anything he testified to along the line is therefore irrelevant."

Remains Stand

It is not a question of whether Carpender is a competent, the judge explained, but a question as to along what line he should be permitted to testify.

The aged, well-groomed Carpender, rather bald with closely clipped mous-

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MUTILATED BODIES OF TOLEDOONS DISCOVERED

Toledo Police, Bewildered by "Clubber," Confronted by Another Mystery

Toledo, Nov. 26—Police here, already bewildered by the ravages of the "clubber", today were puzzled by the announcement of Coroner Charles Hendee that two men had been murdered and their bodies hacked to pieces in an effort to hide the crime.

A pair of human legs was found last Sunday on the Trabbie farm. Wednesday, pedestrians discovered a decapitated head near the Matzinger road. Yesterday, other parts of human limbs were discovered on the Reynolds road.

The coroner announced today that evidence shows these members could not have belonged to the same body. The head, he explained, is that of an unusually small man, while the legs were those of a huge male.

Several squads of police have been sent to search the scenes of the discoveries in the hope of locating the hands. They hope to establish the identity of the victims through fingerprints.

MARSHAL IMPROVES

Dayton, Nov. 26—Slight improvement was reported in the condition of Deputy U. S. Marshal Carson M. Pratt, who received a skull fracture and broken arm and other injuries while pursuing a prisoner who was attempting to escape while being escorted to the marshal's office several days ago.

Four States Are Swept By Storms During Holiday

More Than 100 Injured, While Property Damage Is Expected To Run into Millions in Southern Part of Country

NO ESTIMATE UNTIL COMMUNICATION IS RE-ESTABLISHED

Dead in Arkansas, Missouri, Louisiana and Oklahoma; Wires Blown Down and Poles Uprooted in Places Where Fury of Twister Strikes

THE death toll in the tornadoes which ripped through the southwest last night in the wake of heavy rain and hail storms was placed at 51 today as more definite reports were received.

More than 100 were injured.

The revised list of dead was placed at 36 in Arkansas, five in Missouri, nine in Louisiana and one in Oklahoma, divided as follows:

In Arkansas, at Heber Springs, 20; Oppello, 5; Moscow, 8; Sheridan, 1; Wooster, 2; in Missouri, at Brandsville, 4; Competition, 1; in Louisiana, at Mer Rouge and Haynesville, 12; and in Oklahoma, at Frederick, 1.

Property damage probably will run into the millions. No estimate can be made until wire communication is re-established in the tornado areas.

Telephone and telegraph wires were blown down and poles were uprooted in Arkansas and Missouri, where the twisters struck with fury last night.

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TWENTY-NINE DEAD IN ARKANSAS ALONE

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 26—Twenty-nine are known dead in Arkansas alone, and approximately 100 injured, as attempts were made today to reestablish telephone and telegraph wires through the storm-torn area disrupted by the freakish twisters which swept the state Thursday and last night.

Apparently two twisters struck, one starting near Heber Springs and traveling southeastward to Sheridan and the other striking just near Belleville, in Yell County, and sweeping almost east to Sheridan and thence to Moscow.

The death toll by towns was listed as follows:

Heber Springs, 15; Moscow, 8; Oppello, 5; Sheridan 1.

Reports received here from southern Missouri and Oklahoma added 10 more to the list of dead, making 30 in all that met death in the storm.

Dead at Heber Springs

The dead at Heber Springs:

Roy Morris, wife and baby; Ivan Parker, wife and two brothers, Lee and Billy; Mrs. O. C. Woodson; Mrs. M. L. Rambo; John Jones and wife; Ralph Wiggs and wife; Mrs. R. M. Sayes, wife of Rev. Sayes and baby of H. C. Beadle.

The dead at Oppelo in Conway County:

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stafford and daughter, Nettie; Mrs. J. W. Jones and son, James.

The dead at Sheridan:

Topsy Lebonid, 10, a negro.

The names of the dead at Moscow have not been learned as communication with that town had not been established.

Heber Springs, with a reported death list of 15, was the hardest hit. The storm struck without warning. A few

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GRAFTON BANK ROBBERY CLEARED BY ARRESTS

"Al" White and Three Companions Held by Cleveland Police

Cleveland, Nov. 26—The robbery of the Grafton Bank and Savings Co., April 4, 1925, was cleared up here today, police declared as they held "Al" White and three companions.

Charges of robbing the institution were to be filed against the trio later today, police said.

The others whom police implicate in the $34,000 raid include a teller of a Cleveland bank.

The bank employe is alleged to have furnished White with the gun which the latter used in staging the holdup. Later, he exchanged new bills for the proceeds of the robbery in order to destroy clues, the police charge.

White, in an alleged confession which officials say was made to them today, has also implicated Joseph Solnick and Russell Sands, now serving sentences in the Mansfield Reformatory for auto thefts, as having participated in the Grafton and North Olmsted bank robberies.

White escaped from the Mansfield institution Aug. 22, where he also was serving a term for stealing an automobile, the officers said.

REFUSE TO REVEAL MEN WHO WOUNDED THEM

Hamilton, Nov. 26—Although wounded during what police declared was a "small-scale" gang war, Adolph Schramm, 29, and John Irwin today refused to sign warrants or give any information concerning the men who attacked them yesterday.

Schramm, it was reported, was wounded when four men fired from an auto through a restaurant window at him.

Irwin, said to be one of Schramm's friends, was dashed about the face in another row.

VIOLATIONS OF DRY LAW FEW IN MARION, CLAIM

State Prohibition Department Inspector Issues Statement After Search Here

Evidence of dry law violations in Marion is considerably below this average, according to a statement made today by W. D. Jones, district inspector from the State Prohibition Department, who headed an corps of five officers from headquarters in Columbus in conducting a series of searches at local business places during the last week.

Only three arrests resulted from the week's campaign and this is a low figure for a city of Marion's size, Inspector Jones says.

The three taken into custody on charges of illegal sale of liquor are C. O. Barkis, 37, proprietor of a pool room at 432½ W. Center-st, James Unger, 41, who operates a similar place at 106 W. Center and Stanley Arcuri, 39, proprietor of the West Side Grocery on Hocking-st.

Barkis and Unger pleaded guilty when arraigned before Mayor Earl M. Hazen late Wednesday and were fined $200 and costs each. They paid and were released. Arcuri pleaded not guilty and was released on a $1,000 bond pending trial before the mayor today.

Warrants for the arrest of the three men were issued on affidavits filed by Inspector Jones. The alleged evidence was obtained by R. L. Griswold, an officer from the State Prohibition Department, who says that he purchased liquor from Barkis on Nov. 18 and from Unger and Arcuri on Nov. 19.

The arrests were made Wednesday afternoon by Officers Jones, Seltzer, Curtis and Raymond of the state department and Patrolman McIntyre of the local police force.

RAILROAD WOULD ISSUE $13,756,500 IN STOCK

Washington, Nov. 26—The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission today for authority to issue shares of common capital stock, amounting to $13,756,500.

The entire issue would be offered at par for subscription to the preferred and common stockholders of record Nov. 20, 1926, at the rate of one share for each five shares held by them. The proceeds would be used for additions and betterments.

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And Girls—

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Six pretty colors of chenille corduroy in entirely new weaves.

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All sizes, 8 to 14 years. New and choice, at a special purchase of $7.50 to $15.00 values.

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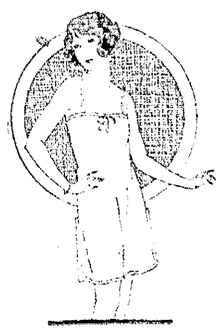

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Glove Silk Gowns and Pajamas $2.95

A Marvelous Pre-Christmas Silk Opportunity

THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF SPECIALLY PURCHASED SILKS FROM THE H. B. CLAFLIN LIQUIDATION STOCKS AT STARTLING LOW PRICES

H. B. Claflin's, known for more than three-quarters of a century as one of America's greatest wholesalers, have liquidated their stocks at tremendous price concessions. We have purchased thousands of yards of these fine silks and place them on sale commencing tomorrow at astonishing low prices.

CLAFLIN'S $2.98 CREPE SATINS

On Sale Commencing Tomorrow **$1.87 YD.**

Think of saving $1.12 on every yard of this most popular silk of the season—crepe satin in Claflin's special $2.98 quality. Colors are:

Claret Red, Jungle Green, Joyce Blue, Sandal Wood, Wood Rose, Navy Blue, Diana Blue, Platinum, Lobster, Ember, Chamois, Rust, Brown, Cranberry, White and a dozen or more others. Practically every color for street, evening and lingerie wear.

One of the best values we have ever offered in silks. This is a heavy, soft lustrous crepe satin guaranteed not to wear rough. Choose tomorrow at $1.87 a yard.

SATIN FINISHED FLAT CREPE

At Our Claflin Silk Sale **$1.39 YD**

450 yards of washable satin finished flat crepe. A beautiful quality for dresses, underwear and lingerie. Where service is essential this quality will please.

Comes in all the pastel shades as well as street colors. An unusually good $1.98 quality for this sale at $1.39 yd.

36-IN. RAYON SATINS

On Sale Commencing Saturday at .. **49c YARD**

Claflin's regular 89c value. Beautiful quality for slips, cushions and dresses. Colors are pink, peach, maize, green, red, orchid, orange, blue, woodrose, brown, tearose, nickel, beige. For this Saturday only, 49c a yard.

36 in. Natural Color Pongee

A good heavy washable quality for curtains and dresses, special at . 39c YD.

ODD PIECES OF SILKS

Claflin Silk Sale Price .. **$1.00 A YARD**

In many cases there were only one and two pieces of a line left. We bid them in at a price that was mighty low and here they go — values from $1.50 to $2.98 a yard. Some plain silks are in the group. Choose for only $1.00 a yd.

Black Satin Charmeuse

Claflin Silk Sale Price ... **98c A YARD**

120 yards of regular $1.50 Black Satin Charmeuse, 39 inches wide, go on sale commencing tomorrow at 98c yd.

SALE OF FUR TRIMMINGS HALF PRICE!

$1.50 Black Sealine, 4 inch reversible at Half Price	75c
$1.75 Platinum, Black and Brown Coney, 4 inch reversible at Half Price	88c
$5.50 Brown Coney, 4 inch cross cut, at Half Price	$2.75
$12.00 Grey Opossum, 4 inch Natural at Half Price	$6.00
$12.50 Fox Thibetine, 4 inch cross shade	$6.25

All other furs greatly reduced.

30 PIECES RAYOLA SILKS

Claflin Silk Sale Price ... **79c A YARD**

Full 36 inches wide, in plain and changeable colors for kiddies' wash dresses, curtains, foundations, slips, underwear and lamp shades. They are practical, serviceable and beautiful. They are very specially priced at 79c

36 in. Brocaded Satins

Claflin's $1.50 Satins On Sale at . **98c YARD**

A quality guaranteed for two season's wear, wonderful color combinations for dresses, linings and men's lounging coats. Regular $1.50 quality at the sale price of 98c

Practical Gifts For The Home!

Our Third Floor House Furnishing Department offers a world of lovely gifts for the Home—Lamps of every kind as well as rugs, curtains and draperies.

Junior Lamps $14.75

Highly ornamented wrought iron bases with hand decorated crystalline shades. A real $20.00 lamp value, extra special at $14.75.

Bridge Lamps $13.25

These beautiful wrought iron Bridge Lamps are of the same type as the Junior Lamps above and are just as specially priced at $13.25.

Stand Lamps $12.75

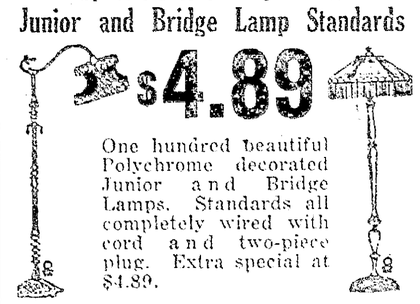
Fancy wrought iron standards with hand decorated crystalline shades. Two light fixture. Complete at $12.75.

Pottery Bases $8.75

A World of Lovely Lamps

Our lamp section is a veritable fairyland in appearance, showing the largest collection of popular priced lamps in the city. Junior Floor Lamps, Bridge Lamps, Stand and Boudoir Lamps and Candlesticks. Wrought Iron and Polychrome standards, silk georgette and crystalline shades.

Special Sale of Polychrome Junior and Bridge Lamp Standards



$4.89

One hundred beautiful Polychrome decorated Junior and Bridge Lamps. Standards all completely wired with cord and two-piece plug. Extra special at $4.89.

Bed Lamp Special—$3.19

Pleated georgette bed lamps with gold braid and silk flower ornaments. Styles that are new and decidedly different —all completely wired.

Oval Rugs

The hit of the season, these beautiful oval rugs are here in all the latest colorings in Wiltons, Velvets, Chenille and Axminsters, featuring:

Genuine French Ovals 27x54 Inch Size .. **$6.75**

Bath Rugs $1.75 to $7.50

A very practical gift that is sure to be appreciated. Washable materials in all sizes and a good variety to choose from.

9x12 ft. Seamless Axminster and Velvet Rugs Extra Special at **$32.50**

Late patterns in extremely high grade long wearing quality seamless Axminster and seamless Velvet Rugs.

Piece Goods for GIFTS To Be Made

What gift could be more appreciated than a dress length of silk in a gift box or some lovely gift fashioned from the specially priced items listed below:

Corduroys for Bath and Lounging Robes Extra Special at ..... **79c Yd.**

36 in. fast pile cut corduroys in all the beautiful high colors suitable for lounging robes and bath robes.

Kimona Silks Special at only ... **$1.75 Yd.**

The newest novelty Kee-Mo-Na Prints in large bold designs and oriental patterns, in beautiful color combinations. 36 in. wide.

Satin Charmeuse for Kimonas $2.50 Yd.

36 inches wide in black grounds with bold red and green flower designs.

Washable Crepe de Chines for Lingerie $1.39 to $3.50 Yd.

Ostrich Trimming, Extra Special at 50c yd.

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The CHRISTMAS STORE

Four Floors Filled to Overflowing With the Greatest Assortments of Gift Merchandise—Greatest Values in History!

Notice to Charge Customers

All charge purchases made tomorrow and the balance of this month will appear on your January statements.

Tomorrow officially opens the Christmas shopping season. At eight-thirty tomorrow morning our doors open on the most wonderfully complete gift displays in our history. We extend you a cordial invitation to come in tomorrow to see these displays, to view our Christmas stocks while they are complete—when selection is at its best. Many special values await tomorrow's shoppers.

Turkish Towel Gift Sets

$1.00 $1.50

Three piece sets of beautiful Turkish towels and wash cloths in pretty gift boxes; a very pleasing and practical gift.

Tapestry and Velour Pillows

$2.98

Pretty combinations of velour and silk tapestry in beautiful shapes and colors.

Taffeta Pillows

$1.98

Highly decorative pillows of shimmering taffetas trimmed with metal braids. Special at $1.98.

A Special Showing of
Tapestry and Velour Scarfs

$3.98

Wide and narrow table runners in all tapestry or combinations of velour and tapestry at $3.98.

Others at $1.39 to $15.00

Ladies' Boxed Handkerchiefs

3 in a gift box— $1.00

White or colored with beautiful colored embroidered designs. Other boxes 50c to $2.50

Ladies' Initial and Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs—
—25c and 50c

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at—
—25c and 35c

Gloria Silk Umbrellas

$3.98

Choice of seven wanted colors in Gloria Silk umbrellas with tips and handles to match.

Pure Taffeta Silk Umbrellas

$5 to $15

Special Saturday Gift Sale

Colored Glassware

Extra Special Saturday $1.00

They go on sale tomorrow, a beautiful assortment of green and blue glassware including large Fruit Bowls, smaller bowls, cake plates, sandwich plates, night sets, mayonnaise bowls, Bonbon dishes, vases and silver base flower baskets. Very special $1.00.

Glassware Gifts

Iridescent Goblets and Sherbets at—
—35c each

Green Glass Salad Plates, special at—
—18c each

Safeedge Goblets and Sherbets, Six for—
—$2.50 and $3.00

Mosaic Glassware—Vases, Bowls and Candlesticks at—
—$3.50 to $5.00

Silverware Gifts

Silver Bread Trays—
—$1.25, $2.00, $2.98

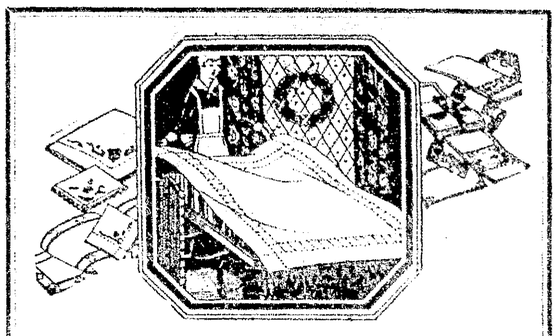
Silver Pitchers—
—$5.00, $5.98, $7.50

Silver Fruit Bowls and Baskets at—
—$2.00 to $4.50

Silver Bon Bon Dishes—
—Special at $1.00

Silver Candlesticks with cathedral candles—
—$1.75 a pair

Five Piece Tea Sets—
—at $6.50 a set



Beautiful Italian

Linen Bridge Sets

Packed in Gift Boxes $4.85

Beautiful quality ivory colored Italian linen with elaborate drawn and solid hand work in very pretty designs. Set consists of a 36 in. cloth and four napkins to match. Very special at $4.85 a set.

Other Beautiful Italian Linen Sets in Gift Boxes, $10 to $60.

Luncheon Sets at $1.98

36 in. cloth and 4 napkins, colored embroidery in parrot and butterfly design, oyster colored linen. Packed in gift boxes. Special at $1.98 a set.

Luncheon Sets at $3.98

Warranted pure linen damask, 54 in. cloth and six napkins. Other sets at $5.75 to $8.75.

Linen Gift Towels

Hand embroidered Porto Rican linen towels, embroidered in colors special at 50c or

3 in a gift box for $1.50

Italian linen towels, in self or colored embroidery. Special at 75c or

2 in a gift box for $1.50

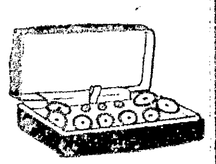
Others at $1.00 to $1.75

Boxed Jewelry for Gifts

In velvet lined gift boxes 59c — In velvet lined blue plush boxes $1.00

An excellent assortment of smart new holiday jewelry including:

Brooches Bar Pins Knives
Compacts Necklaces
Beauty Pins Cuff Links
Lingerie Clasks



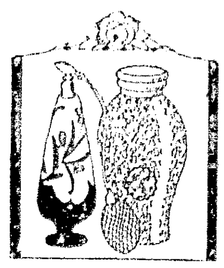
Crackle Glass Vases of Bath Salts

Special 50c

A charming gift in a novelty container that will be both useful and ornamental after the bath salts have been used.

Also Individual Bath Salts packed four odors to a Box at 50c.

Other Bath Salts, $1 and $2.



A Special Gift Showing of
Rayon Silk Bed Spreads

$4.95

The greatest bedspread value of them all. Plain Rayon Ripple, broad ribbon stripe spreads and the beautiful multi-colored spreads—Sizes 81x105 and 72x105.

Other Bed Spreads at $1.98 to $12.50

Fine Leather Hand Bags

Our Feature Gift Value is priced at $5.00

Pouch and flat shapes in real cowhide, steer hide, pin seal, Morocco, Lizard grain and patent leather—every wanted color. Many have novelty combinations of leathers.

Other Leather Bags at $1.98 to $12.50

Geautiful Imported Bead Bags made in Paris—Special at $7.50

Ladies' Rayon Bloomers

$1.69 Vests to match at $1.00

Made of an extra heavy quality rayon silk that washes very nicely. Colors are peach, orchid, pink and grain.

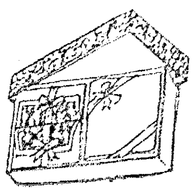
Finest Van Raalte Glove Silk Underwear

Van Raalte Glove Silk Vests, $2.98 and $3.25
Stepins and French Drawers at $3.98

Boxed Gift Stationery

50c, 79c, $1.00

What an immense assortment to choose from. Every style, every wanted color. Deckle edge, gold edge, many with fancy lined envelopes and some boxes include quills to match.



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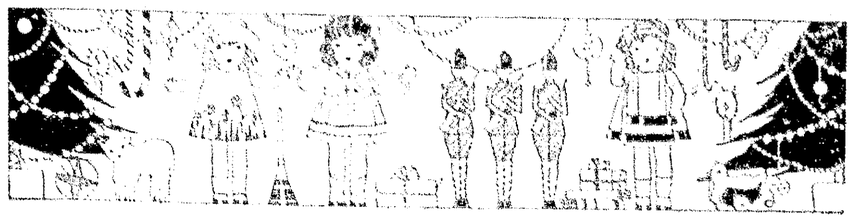
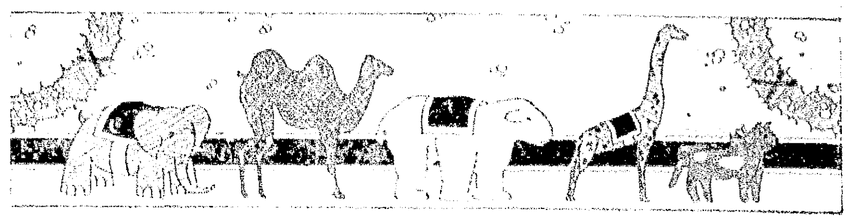


BASEMENT Toyland Opening TOMORROW

Down in Our Basement Where We Have Assembled the Largest and Best Display of Toys in Marion

See the dancing bears, the performing monkeys and clowns, then there's an unusual display of dolls and doll furniture, and lots of books and games. Boys will be interested in wheel goods, mechanical toys and erector sets, electric and mechanical trains. They're all here in Toyland.

Santa Claus himself will greet you from 9:30 until 10:30 in the morning and from 2:30 until 4 o'clock in afternoon. He has a souvenir for you.



Dainty Rayon Silk Underwear

Rayon Gowns $1.95

Pink, nile and orchid in a neatly trimmed style. Fine grade rayon daintily made and finished.

Rayon Chemise $1.89

Tailored and lace trimmed styles in nile, orchid, pink, maize and rose, assorted sizes. Lovely quality too.

Rayon Vests 95c

Extra quality tubing vests in rose, blue, nile, orchid, peach and pink. Tailored top with self straps.

Guaranteed Silk Hose

Think of it, pure silk hose at 95c that must give perfect satisfaction or you get a new pair. What could be nicer than a gift of these? All the wanted colors. 95c

New
House Frocks

$1.95 $2.95

Lovely new styles in fast color print cloths in medium and dark colors. Sizes to 46.

Children's
SWEATERS

$1.59 $1.95

Regular $1.95 to $2.95 values in warm sweaters for girls and boys. Assorted styles and colors.

Women's and Misses'
Lounging Robes --- $2.95

Plain or brocaded corduroy in gay colors and fancy robe cloth fashion these attractive lounging robes for women and misses; good looking styles.

Saturday Sale Warm Blankets

Double Bed Blankets $1.78 Pr.

Plain grey fleeced blankets with blue or pink borders. Double bed size and an extra value for the price.

Plaid Cotton Blankets $3.65 Pr.

Medium dark open plaids in attractive color combinations. Extra warm and serviceable. Double bed size.

Hand Made Comforters $3.89

Covered with pretty cotton challies and filled with a fluffy three pound stitched batt. Well knotted by hand.

All Wool Blankets $9.45 Pr.

Woven of finest grade 100% wool yarn for warmth and service. Lovely colors in large block plaids. Bindings to match.

Gift Specials from Our China Section

Hand painted pieces 25c to $1.59
Combination Sets ..... 49c to 85c
Cake and Berry Sets $1.19
Children's Sets 49c
Pyrex Pie Plates $1.65
Lusterware Vases, etc. 19c
Colored Cut Glass 53c to $1.49
12 piece Bridge Sets $2.95

42-Piece
Dinner Sets

Imported English Ware, Two Pretty Shapes and Patterns at

$15.75 Set

Domestic Ware, attractive shapes, newest decorations.

$7.45 to $10.45

TWO GREAT SATURDAY CLEARANCE GROUPS

Velvet & Felt Hats

Hats that sold up to $12.50—they'll go in a hurry tomorrow at these prices.

$1.95 - $2.95